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One great floor devoted exclusively to Carpets and Floor Coverings. Our complete line for the spring season is now on exhibition and surpasses any previous offering. Novel designs and choice patterns selected with great care. Lace Curtains, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, etc. A look at the stock is all that is needed to convince buyers that they have struck headquarters for everything relating to the Carpet line. We want your custom. All we ask is a call, the prices and styles will do the rest. Up-to-date goods in design and quality are the kind we carry. The new line embraces every quality sought after. A visit to this department will pay you handsomely.

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New natural Linen and Linen finished Lawns and Batistes—plain and fancy, Indian Dimities, Persian Lawns, Scotch Lawns, Corded Dimities, White Corded, and dotted Swisses, French Organdies, Percales, Tulle, Lunard and Zephyr Gingham, Japanese Creped Draperies, Gilt, Spangled and Leather Belts, Face Veils, Laces, Embroideries, Trimmings, Ties, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Waists, Wrappers, Lace Curtains and many other NEW THINGS. With such an array of CHOICE new goods—with prices for such as reasonable as ours, there should be no trouble whatever in duplicating this month the extraordinary volume of business done last month.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, ETC.—M'FADDEN'S.

Here's Your Chance.

Men's 25c Outing Shirts for 12½c.
Men's 50c Underwear for 25c.
Men's 50c Working Gloves for 25c.
Men's 75c Working Shirts for 37½c.

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WHEELING, W. VA.

WE MAKE SHIRTS TO ORDER.

SHOES—J. H. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.

GOOD SHOES
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GOOD MONEY.

In this case it appearing that we can sell you the best Shoe for TWO DOLLARS of any house in Wheeling. The case ought to be easily adjusted by your coming with your good money for a pair.

J. H. LOCKE SHOE CO.

The Intelligencer

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Trustee's Sale.
\$100 Bicycle Free.
Shield of Honor Funeral Notice.
Sealed Proposals for Removal of Garbage.
A New Sensation—Albert Stiles & Co.
Here's Your Chance—McFadden's.
Eighth Page.
Fashion Demands—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Third Page.
Notice—H. G. Zane.
Insurance Change.
Forenight Groves—Benjamin Fisher.
Commissioner's Sale.
Bishop's Bird Seeds—Gootze's Pharmacy.

ELEGANT Overcoats made to order on short notice at bottom prices. Also agents for the famous Jaro's Hygienic Underwear. C. 1125 & 5028.
Fashionable Tailors and Gents' Furnishers, 1321 and 1323 Market Street.

HAVE your eyes tested for glasses free of charge by
JACOB W. GRUBB,
Jeweler and Optician, Market and Twelfth streets.

Heavy Wind Last Night.
After midnight last night for several hours a very heavy wind blew and it grew rapidly colder. The gale carried away the storm doors at McLaughlin's saloon, at Twelfth and Water streets, blowing it into small pieces and carrying it into the river.

A Benefit Entertainment.
On next Thursday evening the Elm Grove colored Baptist church will give a benefit entertainment in Kimmins's hall. The church has just been started and deserves encouragement. The Clover Leaf mandolin club will play and a fine programme will be rendered.

Council Committee.
The council committee on fire department met last night and recommended to council for payment bills aggregating \$182. New cogs were ordered for the eighth ward reel, and the committee asked for authority to buy a horse and a carload of oats.
A meeting of the committee on health has been called for 4 o'clock p. m. to-day.

Wheeling Iron and Steel Company's Stock.

In the item yesterday morning about the sale of stocks, etc., belonging to the estate of the late A. B. Caldwell it was stated that eighty-seven shares of stock in the National bank of West Virginia had been sold to Dr. R. W. Hazlett. This was a mistake, as must have been apparent on the face of the item as printed. It was stock of the Wheeling Iron and Steel Company to which reference was made.

Scenes from John Knox's Life.
It is difficult for those who enjoy the religious freedom of the present day, to conceive of the privations and sufferings of those who still bore aloft the banner of Christ. Though the battle of intolerance raged furiously around them, the bravest soldiers laid down their lives on the battlefield. These bequeathed to this generation this priceless legacy and it seems a lack of gratitude that many of those alive to-day are not familiar even with their names. A study of their lives would teach us to more highly appreciate these blessings that we accept so lightly. One of the bravest spirits of those trying times was John Knox, who was a soldier in very truth. He was a sword-bearer all through and laid aside the glittering blade only to take in its stead the "Sword of the Spirit," which is the word of God. There will be an opportunity of learning of the stirring scenes of his life by attending the "Scottish Reformation" at the Grand Opera House, February 24, 25 and 26, given for the benefit of the West Virginia Home for the Aged and Friendless.

ABOUT PEOPLE.
Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Mayor Caldwell was a visitor to Washington, Pa., yesterday.

Miss Rose Bishop entertained friends last evening at her home in Eighteenth street.

James McClymont, of the Island engine company, has been laid up for some time, but is now rapidly improving.

Miss Mabel Cudert, of Allegheny, and Miss Ella McNicholls, of Mansfield, Pa., are visiting Miss Carrie Stotzer, on North Main street.

Mr. William Marsh has been seriously ill some time past, and does not show much sign of improvement. His friends feel uneasy about him.

Mr. James P. Forrest, agent of the Gorman, who appear at the Grand the last half of the week, left town yesterday for his next place. He made many friends while here.

W. H. Edwards, of New York, late one of the travelling salesmen with Findlay Brothers, Cleveland, has formed a partnership with C. C. Boston, of Wheeling, W. Va., for the wall paper and decorative business in that city, under the firm name of Edwards & Boston. They are both experienced and practical men, Mr. Boston being one of the foremost decorators in that city. Their place will be conducted on the up-to-date plan and they will look especially to the exclusive trade, in which they ought to have a good opening. New York Wall Paper News. They will open to-day at 74 Twelfth street.

IN THE COURTS.
Several Cases of an Interesting Character Heard Yesterday.

In the criminal court yesterday the motion for a new trial in the case of Henry Kraft, convicted of stealing a pair of trousers, having been overruled, he was sentenced to ten days' imprisonment in the county jail. Clara Moss, convicted of keeping a house of ill fame, was fined \$20 and costs. Judge Hughes then adjourned his court to court in course.

In the circuit court judgment was entered in favor of the defendant in the libel suit of James Minkemeyer vs. Christian Viewig, Jr.

The case of W. H. Chapman vs. the J. W. Bots & Sons Company was put on trial and is still pending.
In the case of Oscar Orfner & Company vs. S. E. Parsons et al. and W. S. Foose & Company, a writ of possession was directed to be issued.

The Modern Way
Commends itself to the well-informed, to the constantly and effectively what was formerly done in the crude manner and disagreeable as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs, Manufactured by California Fig Syrup Company.

Money to Loan.
Money to loan on real estate—West Virginia Savings and Building Association, room 14 Masonic Temple. Office hours 9:15 to 5:15 p. m., every Monday.

J. W. PIERCE, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself." Logan & Co., Wheeling, W. Va., B. F. Penbody, Benwood, and Bowie & Co., Bridgeport, O.

Nobody need have Neuralgia. Get Dr. Miller's Pain Pills from druggists. "One cent a dose."

LOCAL BREVITIES

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

Opera House this evening—"The Fencing Master."
The Grand this evening—Weber & Field's Vaudeville Club.

A regular meeting of the city council is due to be held to-night.

This evening a number of young ladies will give a leap year party at Egerton's hall. A fine time is promised.

A power of attorney was yesterday filed with Clerk Hook made by the Ohio Valley Benefit Association to R. W. Taylor.

This evening the Oil Club will give a cake walk and dance at the Beethoven hall, which it is safe to say will be out of sight.

The big docket in the police court yesterday morning netted about \$300. Nearly all of the cases came out of the raids on Alley C resorts.

The workhouse prisoners cleaned the snow off the pavement around the city hall yesterday. There are other places where the same might be done to advantage.

Clerk Hook yesterday issued a marriage license to George Farress, aged twenty-two and Milla Joseph, aged twenty-one, both natives of Syria and residents of Wheeling.

Alex. Younger, Jr., was arraigned before Squire Gillespie yesterday on a bastardy charge preferred by Mary Cardiman. He gave bond in \$400 for court and was released.

The streets at the corner of Eleventh and Water have been barricaded on account of the dangerous condition of the old warehouse at that corner, which began to fall apart Sunday.

Commissioner G. H. E. Gilchrist last evening reported to the circuit court a final decree for the settlement of the case of Mary K. Cracraft vs. Key McDonald and H. H. Hornbrook, guardian.

This evening the Duquesne Club will give a dance at the Benbow Hall, on Woods street, south of Sixteenth. A very enjoyable time is promised to all who attend and good order is guaranteed.

Mr. Theodore Rolfer, heretofore agent of the Jefferson Insurance Company, has accepted the position of secretary of the Fire and Marine Insurance Company. He will be quite an acquisition to that company.

Clerk Hook yesterday admitted to record a deed made February 8 by Edward D. Elliott, guardian, to Catherine Sweeney, for \$1 and other considerations, lots 13, 14 and 25 in McClure's addition to Wheeling.

In another column of this morning's paper the city clerk advertises that he will receive proposals for the removal of garbage for two years, commencing May 1. The present contractor has given eminent satisfaction.

Wednesday is the anniversary of the foundation of the City Hospital. A reception and ingathering of the sewing guild will be held to-morrow from 2 to 5 p. m. The hospital will be open to the public and everybody is invited to call.

IN THE CAIRO OIL FIELD.

The Yockey No. 2 Well Now Making 200 Barrels—Hitchie Oil News.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CAIRO, W. Va., Feb. 10.—Jacob Yockey's well No. 2, which has been doing one hundred barrels naturally has been shot and is now doing two hundred barrels. Cairo Oil Company will immediately put down another well on the same farm, also one on Mrs. Weaver's and Jacob Hatfield's farms.

C. B. Kervin's lease on the Carrol farm was forfeited and the farm was immediately leased by E. Clark and C. M. Moore, of Marietta. They have rig timbers and machinery on the ground and expect to have a well completed in sixty days. The location is between the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the river, one-half mile west of the depot and just across the river from the northern edge of the Cairo Oil Company's territory. This well will be watched with more interest than any other in the field, being much further north and on north and south line between Paint well, very high producer, and the John Smith well which is entirely dry.

A Good Specialty Show.

Weber and Field's "Vaudeville Club" opened a three nights' engagement at the Grand last night to a crowded house and the entertainment can truthfully be said to be one of the neatest and cleanest ever given here in the vaudeville line. The company is a large one and line. The "top-liner" is the celebrated Meers Brothers, who close first part with an act on the high wire. Their work is marvelous and they were loudly applauded last night. Sam Bernard is another card, and with his imitations holds the attention of the audience for ten minutes nicely. McIntyre and Heath never appeared to better advantage, and the house was kept in a constant roar all the time they were on the stage. Lizzie B. Raymond renders some catchy songs in a manner that wins hearty commendation. The rest of the company is good. The same performance will be given again to-night, to-morrow afternoon and evening. Seats at the box office.

Removal Notice.

E. Shopper has removed from the old stand, 1103 Main street, to 1067 Main street. The new quarters are much more commodious, and a full line of spring millinery of staple and fancy stock is offered to the public. Come in and see the great bargains.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. D. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, prop. St. James hotel, Fort Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years' standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. H. F. Merrill, Baldwinville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Honning, 222 E. 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because it instantly relieves. Free Trial Bottles at Logan Drug Co.'s Drug Store, 3

THE little daughter of Mr. Fred Weber, Holland, Mass., had a very bad cold and cough which he had not been able to cure with any thing. I gave him a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says W. P. Holden, merchant and postmaster at West Brimfield, and the next time I saw him he said it worked like a charm. This remedy is intended especially for acute throat and lung diseases, such as colds, croup, and whooping cough, and it is famous for its cures. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains nothing injurious.

ALL KINDS OF EYES FITTED.

Eyes Examined for Glasses Free of Charge.
If you need Spectacles, eyes tire or head aches when reading or sewing, consult us and have your eyes examined for glasses free of charge. Difficult cases a specialty. If you have tried others and failed to find glasses to suit your eyes, come to us and we will grind special glasses for your case. New lenses put in any style frame. All kinds of glasses repaired. Gold glasses taken in exchange. Solid field spectacles fitted to the eyes from \$2.50 up. Men from \$1.00 up.
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Scientific Optician and Specialist in refraction of the eye, 1110 Main street. Headquarters for Artificial Eyes.

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Sales, both in our Men's and Boys' Department, doesn't astonish us in the least. At any hour of the day you'll find buyers from all surrounding towns, as well as Wheeling, grasping the opportunities we're offering.

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ALMOST THE PRICE OF ONE.

You don't have the choice of one or two lots, but the unserved freedom of the cream of our stock. Our commercial tide is rising and we are going to raise it still higher by continuing this another week. This, above all others, is the time to buy. By faithful representation the word "Confidence" is anchored in the minds of our customers. Unmerciful squashing and smashing of prices throughout every one of our mammoth departments. If you don't believe it, come and be convinced. If you do believe it, come anyway and convince others.

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